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LETTER DATED 21 JUNE 1996 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to transmit to you herewith two monthly statements on the disposal of bombs, rockets and other ordnance left behind by the 30-Power aggression against Iraq, one for the period 1-30 April 1996 (see annex I) and the other for the period 1-31 May 1996 (see annex II).

I should be grateful if you would have this letter and its annexes circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Nizar HAMDOON
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

Annex I

Monthly bomb-disposal statement, 1-30 April 1996

| No. | Civil Defence Department | Number and type of ordnance disposed of |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Baghdad | 3 defence hand-grenades<br>2 RPG-7 rockets with unserviceable charge<br>2 assault grenades<br>1 anti-personnel mine<br>1 graphite rocket part |
| 2 | Basra | 20 cluster bombs<br>107 60-mm mortar shells<br>5,925 RPG-9 rocket propulsion charges<br>36 anti-personnel rockets<br>1,663 DShK anti-aircraft rounds<br>2 RPG-7 launchers |
| 3 | Wasit | 2 Russian-made launcher rockets<br>3 Russian-made defence grenades<br>3 Russian-made assault grenades<br>2 anti-tank mines |
| 4 | Ta'mim | 4 60-mm mortar shells<br>85 rockets<br>23 RPG-7 grenades<br>6 anti-personnel grenades<br>47 82-mm mortar shells<br>40 60-mm mortar shells<br>1 assault grenade<br>1 defence grenade<br>3 explosive charges<br>85 miscellaneous rounds<br>23 anti-tank launcher rockets<br>47 82-mm mortar shells<br>40 60-mm mortar shells<br>6 anti-personnel launcher grenades |
| 5 | Diyala | 5,000 anti-personnel mines<br>28 82-mm artillery shells |
| 6 | Karbala' | 1 defence grenade<br>1 60-mm mortar shell |
| 7 | Babil | 1 120-mm mortar shell |
| | Total | 13,211 (thirteen thousand two hundred and eleven) miscellaneous bombs, shells, rockets and mines |

Annex II

Monthly bomb-disposal statement, 1-31 May 1996

| No. | Civil Defence Department | Number and type of ordnance disposed of |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Baghdad/Rusafah | 4 anti-aircraft rounds<br>1 defence grenade |
| 2 | Baghdad/Karkh | 1 Spanish detonator |
| 3 | Qadisiyah | 6 82-mm mortar shells<br>1 artillery shell<br>1 RPG-7 rocket<br>6 hand grenades<br>3 armour shells |
| 4 | Muthanna | 3 obsolete spherical bombs<br>1 cluster bomb<br>1 RPG-7 rocket |
| 5 | Diyala | 1 hand-grenade<br>9 mortar shells<br>200 260-mm shells<br>1 rocket |
| 6 | Babil | 325 shells of miscellaneous calibre |
| 7 | Ninawa | 91 spherical bombs |
| 8 | Anbar | 72 obsolete spherical bombs |
| 9 | Basra | 17 cluster bombs<br>39 60-mm mortar shells<br>72 RPG-7 rockets<br>12 RPG-9 rockets<br>10 anti-personnel rockets<br>17 anti-personnel mines<br>47 hand-grenade detonators<br>15 miscellaneous rounds<br>141 propulsion charges |
| 10 | Dhi Qar | 1 spherical bomb |
| 11 | Karbala' | 1 Strela missile |
| | Total | 1,059 (one thousand and fifty-nine) miscellaneous bombs, shells and rockets |

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